

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Heinz-Josef LENZ, et al.

Title: POLYMORPHISMS FOR
PREDICTING DISEASE
AND TREATMENT
OUTCOME

Appl. No.: 10/522,664

International

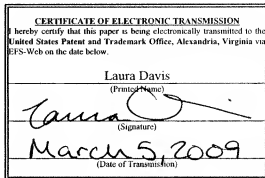
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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. §145 or §146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

1. Submission **required** under 37 C.F.R. §1.114: (check items that apply)

a. Previously submitted:

☐ Please enter and consider the amendment and/or reply previously filed on ____.

☐ Please consider the Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) previously filed on ____ but not considered.

☐ Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply previously filed on ____.

b. Enclosed are:

☒ Amendment/Reply (14 pages).

☒ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) (9 pages).

☒ Information Disclosure Statement (3 pages).

☒ Form PTO/SB/08 (3 pages) with copies of 19 listed reference(s).

The filing fee is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended	Previously Paid For	Extra Claims Present	Rate	Fee Totals
RCE Fee				\$810.00	= \$810.00
1.17(e):					
Total Claims:	27	- 25	= 2	x \$52.00	= \$104.00
Independents	6	- 6	= 0	x \$220.00	= \$0.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:				+ \$390.00	= \$390.00
CLAIMS FEE TOTAL:					= \$1304.00

[X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R.
 §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

[]	Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$130.00	0	\$0.00
[]	Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$490.00		\$0.00
[X]	Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$1,110.00		\$1,110.00
[]	Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,730.00		\$0.00
[]	Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$2,350.00		\$0.00
EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL:				\$1,110.00
EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID: -				\$0.00
EXTENSION FEE TOTAL				\$1,110.00
CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:				\$2,414.00
[]	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):			\$0.00
[]	Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)			\$0.00
TOTAL FEE:				\$2,414.00

The above-identified fees of \$2,414.00 are being paid by credit card via EFS-Web.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment instructions in EFS-Web being incorrect or absent, resulting in a rejected or incorrect credit card transaction, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date March 5, 2009

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